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FOI to CDC re: scientific evidence of "capripox virus" or any virus of the "Poxviridae family"

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Tue, Nov 19, 2024 at 9:07 AM

To: "FOIA Requests (CDC)" <FOIARequests@cdc.gov>

November 19, 2024

To:
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Atlanta, Georgia 30333
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Greetings Roger,

This is an order for access to general records, per the *Freedom of Information Act*.**Ordered Records:**

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2. - (if no records exist for #1) that at least describe the purification of particles that are claimed to be any of these alleged viruses directly from bodily fluid/tissue/excrement of so-called "hosts" (without adding any sources of genetic material or proteins) with purification confirmed via EM imaging (the images must be available as well).

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I am simply seeking records that describe purification (separation from everything else in the "host" sample). I am not seeking private patient records.

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4. - that scientifically demonstrate contagion of any of the illnesses that are allegedly caused by any of said purported viruses.

If any records match the above description and are publicly available, please provide enough information about each one so that I may identify and access it with certainty (i.e. title, author(s), date, journal, URL, DOI).

Publicly Available Records

If any records match the above description of requested records and are currently available to the public elsewhere, please assist me by providing enough information about each record so that I may identify and access each one with certainty (i.e. title, author(s), date, journal, where the public may access it). Please provide URLs where possible.

Format:

Searchable pdf documents sent to me via email; please don't ship anything to me.

Contact Information:

email: cmssyc@gmail.com

Thank you in advance,
Christine



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Acknowledgement of Your CDC FOIA Request #25-00253-FOIA

xsj4@cdc.gov <xsj4@cdc.gov>
To: cmssyc@gmail.com

Tue, Nov 19, 2024 at 12:37 PM

November 19, 2024

Request Number: 25-00253-FOIA

Dear Ms. Massey:

This is regarding your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of November 19, 2024, for All studies in the possession/custody/control of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and/or the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR), authored by anyone, anywhere, ever: 1. - that scientifically prove/provide evidence of the existence of the alleged "capripox virus" or any alleged virus of the "Poxviridae family" (showing that the alleged particles exist and cause the illness/symptoms that they are alleged to cause). 2. - (if no records exist for #1) that at least describe the purification of particles that are claimed to be any of these alleged viruses directly from bodily fluid/tissue/excrement of so-called "hosts" (without adding any sources of genetic material or proteins) with purification confirmed via EM imaging (the images must be available as well). 3. - wherein the purported "genome" of any of these alleged viruses was found intact in the bodily fluid/tissue/excrement of a "host" (as opposed to fabricated in silico, aka a computer model). 4. - that scientifically demonstrate contagion of any of the illnesses that are allegedly caused by any of said purported viruses.

Please see attached our acknowledgement letter.

Sincerely,
CDC/ATSDR FOIA Office
770-488-6399



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Centers for Disease Control
and Prevention (CDC)
Atlanta GA 30333

November 19, 2024

Ms. Christine Massey



Via email: cmssyc@gmail.com

Dear Ms. Massey:

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (CDC/ATSDR) received your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated November 19, 2024 for:

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Your request was assigned #25-00253-FOIA and placed in our complex processing queue.

Extension of Time

In unusual circumstances, an agency can extend the twenty-working-day limit to respond to a FOIA request.

We will require an additional ten-working-days to respond to your request because:

- ☐ We reasonably expect to consult with two or more C/I/Os about your request.

To process your request promptly, please consider narrowing the scope of your request to limit

the number of responsive records. If you have any questions or wish to discuss reformulation or an alternative time frame for the processing of your request, you may contact the analyst handling your request Rochelle Carpenter at 404-498-5794 or our FOIA Public Liaison, Roger Andoh at 770-488-6277. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Services (OGIS) to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services; National Archives and Records Administration; 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS; College Park, Maryland 20740-6001; e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

Fee Category

Because you are considered an “Other requester” you are entitled to two hours of free search time, and up to 100 pages of duplication (or the cost equivalent of other media) without charge, and you will not be charged for review time. We may charge for search time beyond the first two hours and for duplication beyond the first 100 pages. (10 cents/page).

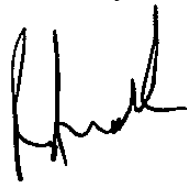
Cut-off-date

If you don’t provide us with a date range for your request, the cut-off date for your request will be the date the search for responsive records starts.

You may check on the status of your case on our FOIA webpage <https://foia.cdc.gov/app/Home.aspx> and entering your assigned request number. If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact Rochelle Carpenter at xsj4@cdc.gov or at 404-498-5794.

We reasonably anticipate that you should receive a final response by December 30, 2024. Please know that this date roughly estimates how long it will take the agency to close requests ahead of your request in the queue and complete work on your request. The actual date of completion might be before or after this estimated date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Andoh', with a stylized, cursive script.

Roger Andoh
CDC/ATSDR FOIA Officer
Office of the Chief Operating Officer
(770) 488-6399
Fax: (404) 235-1852



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Final Response to Your CDC FOIA Request #25-00253-FOIA

xsj4@cdc.gov <xsj4@cdc.gov>
To: cmssyc@gmail.com

Thu, Dec 12, 2024 at 2:07 PM

December 12, 2024

Request Number: 25-00253-FOIA

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Please see attached our final response letter.

Sincerely,

Rochelle Carpenter
Government Information Specialist
CDC/ATSDR FOIA Office
770-488-6399



Final Response Letter - 25-00253-FOIA.pdf
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Centers for Disease Control
and Prevention (CDC)
Atlanta GA 30333
December 12, 2024

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Via email: cmssyc@gmail.com

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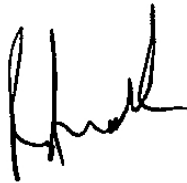
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CDC/ATSDR's National Center for Emerging and Zoonotic Infectious Diseases (NCEZID) conducted search for records responsive to your request. Unfortunately, no responsive documents were found pertaining to your request. Per NCEZID's subject matter experts, CDC/ATSDR has not done any work with capripox viruses. Additionally, CDC/ATSDR does not isolate viruses from a host.

You may contact our FOIA Public Liaison at 770-488-6246 for any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

If you are not satisfied with the response to this request, you may administratively appeal to the Deputy Agency Chief FOIA Officer, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, via the online portal at <https://requests.publiclink.hhs.gov/App/Index.aspx>. Please mark both your appeal letter and envelope "FOIA Appeal." Your appeal must be electronically transmitted by March 12, 2025.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Roger Andoh', with a stylized, cursive script.

Roger Andoh
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